

Sept. 13, 1933.

My dear Friedman -

Reference your letter of Sept 12, you express my sentiments exactly. In fact I know from long association that you have my interests in mind as well as your own, and being right there in Wash., I feel perfectly confident to leave the whole matter in your hands and abide by your decision.

Accordingly I have signed as you suggested but trust that we may be able to make a better arrangement in the future.

Now about the new cipher machine I feel that some slight misunderstanding exists as regards the progress. I want to assure you I am doing everything possible to expedite the actual construction but you see there are just so many

men in the shop and so
much work to be done on
other projects. I have hopes
of being able to get some
work done on the new machine
by Oct 1.

Very truly yours
George A. Graham